

Sri K. S. VASAN.—I want to know with regard to the salaries and remuneration of welfare officers.

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—We do not interfere with the remuneration question.

### Officers of Bellary District who opted for Andhra and Madras.

Q.—262. Sri SIRASAPPA Ijari (Harapanahalli).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) how many gazetted officers on 1st October 1953 in Bellary District have opted out to Andhra and Madras;

(b) whether such officers have opted into Mysore State from the above States;

(c) whether any officers in Bellary District have been promoted to Gazetted rank;

(d) if so, how many and what departments;

(e) if not, the reason for the same?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(a) 61 Gazetted officers opted out for service in Andhra.

17 Gazetted officers opted out for service in Madras.

(b) Yes.

(c) Yes.

(d) Four from the Agricultural Department, one from the Judicial Department and two from the Revenue Department.

(e) This does not arise in view of answer to (d) above.

Sri SIRASAPPA Ijari.—May I know from what departments these officers have opted out to Andhra and Madras?

\*Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Officers opted out to Andhra and Madras: Revenue 6 and 2, Judicial 3 and 4, Commercial 1 to Andhra, Registration 1 to Andhra, Co-operative 1 to Andhra, Agriculture 9 to Andhra and 3 to Madras, Forest 2 to Andhra, Jail 3 to Andhra and 1 to Madras, Police 3 to Andhra, Medical 11 to Andhra and 7 to Madras, Health 4 to Andhra, Public Works 9 to Andhra,

Veterinary 2 to Andhra, Prohibition 4 to Andhra and Royalaseema Polytechnic 1.

Sri SIRASAPPA Ijari.—Are these officers already transferred?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I believe so.

Sri SIRASAPPA Ijari.—Is it not a fact then that these places have fallen vacant?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes; when they opted out naturally vacancies occur.

Sri SIRASAPPA Ijari.—May I know how they have been filled up?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—They have been filled up by officers of Bellary District as well as a few from the rest of the Mysore State also.

### Cardamom Board (Proposal to start).

Q.—480. Srimathi B. L. SUBBAMMA (Chikmagalur—Mudigere).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether they have received any representations from raiyats for starting a Cardamom Board;

(b) if so, their decision in this behalf?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) Yes.

(b) In view of the decision communicated by the Government of India, that there is no necessity for constituting a separate Board for Cardamom, the matter was dropped.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಿ. ಎಲ್. ಸುಬ್ಬಮ್ಮ.—ಏಲಕ್ಕಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಒಂದು ಬೋರ್ಡನ್ನು ರಚಿಸುವ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಯಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಯಾವ ಕಾರಣದಿಂದ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ತೀರಿಸಿದರು?

\*ಡಾ|| ಆರ್. ನಾಗನಗೌಡ.—ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ನಮಗೆ 1955ನೇ ಇಸವಿ 18ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಫೆಬ್ರವರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಕಾಗದ ಬರೆದು ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ವಿಚಾರಮಾಡಿ ಆಗ್ರಿಕಲ್ಚರಲ್ ಸೈಡ್‌ನಿಂದ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಬೋರ್ಡಿನ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಯೇನೂ ಇಲ್ಲ, ಏಲಕ್ಕಿ ವ್ಯಾಪಾರವನ್ನು ಸ್ವೀಡ್, ಮಿಡ್ಲ್ ಈಸ್ಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಯೂರೋಪಿನಲ್ಲಿರುವ ನಮ್ಮ ಟ್ರೇಡ್ ರೆಪ್ರೆಸೆಂಟೇಟಿವ್ಸ್ ದ್ವಾರಾ ಮಾಡಬಹುದು ಎಂದು ತೀರಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.